

## BARBARA JO DAVIDSON RUSSELL



Barbara Jo Davidson Russell was a twotime All-State forward for the Lady Warriors basketball team during the 1952-53 and 1953-54 seasons. She was known for her "mean

hook shot." Under the direction of Coach Clayton Blount, as team captain her sophomore year she led East Central to a second place finish in the state finals. She had much success as an individual point maker dropping in over 40 points in two different games. She played as a four-year letterwinner for the Union High School Lady Yellow Jackets. During her senior season, she helped lead Union to a regional tournament title over Newton, dropping in 42 of Union's 50 points. She was inducted into the ECCC Athletic Hall of Fame in 1993.

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September 1, 2016

East Central Community College vs.

Holmes Community College
Nº 000289



Game 2 September 8, 2016 6:30 p.m.

East Central Community College

vs.
Northeast MS Community College
General Admission - \$7

## BILLY WAYNE BAUCUM



Following an outstanding athletic career at Newton High School, Billy Wayne Baucum signed a football scholarship with the University of Southern Mississippl, but chose instead to

play football at East Central. He was a two-year starter as a halfback and defensive back and was named Team Captain for the 1960 squad. During his sophomore year, he was named Outstanding Back and Mr. ECJC. That year, Baucum rushed for 750 yards on 153 carries, had 18 pass receptions for 240 yards and made 92 tackles. Baucum was selected to the All-State and All-American football teams and played in the Junior College All-American Game. Baucum served the college as an assistant football coach from 1967-1970 and also served on the ECJC Board of Trustees from 1982 until his death in 1983. Baucum was inducted into the ECCC Athletic Hall of Fame in 1987.

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W. ARNO VINCENT

After coming to East Central Junior College on a basketball scholarship in 1935, W Arno Vincent was encouraged to try football after never having seen a

for the Warriors for the 1936 and 1937 teams, he became an Al-State athlete in both football and basketball Following his playing career at East Central Vincent was selected the college's Most Outstanding Male Athlete and went on to Mississippi Southern College on a football scholarsh p. In 1939 Incent was named to East Central Community College's Athletic Hall of Fame and in 2007 he was inducted into the Mississippi Community College Sports Hall of Fame. Vincent served as the college's third president from 1953-1962 and also served as dean of students, registrar and football and baseball coacn

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September 22, 2016

East Central Community College

VS.

MS Gulf Coast Community College

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## JOE CLARK



Joe Clark retired from ECCC in 1997 after serving the college and its students for 34 years in various positions including director of security, director of student housing, men's basketball

coach, golf coach, tennis coach, and instructor of mathematics. As a student, Clark played for the 1954-55 men's basketball team that captured a Region 7 championship and finished fourth in the nation following the tournament. Clark transferred to Livingston State where he was two-year starter. During his senior year, Livingston experienced its first winning season in several years. As a coach, Clark coached warrior basketball from 1963-1976. His 1968-69 team won a preseason tournament and finished 20-7. Clark also coached golf for 30 years and tennis for 20 years. He was inducted into the ECCC Athletic Hall of Fame in 1992 and the Mississippi Community College Sports Hall of Fame in 2009.

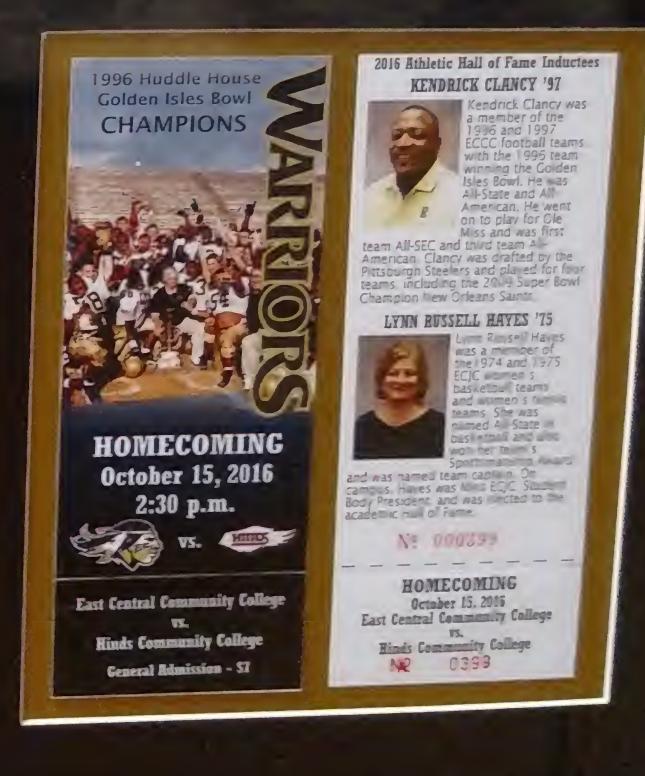
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October 6, 2016

East Central Community College vs.

Jones County Junior College

Nº 000289



Game 4

**September 22, 2016** 

6:30 p.m.

East Central Community College

MS Gulf Coast Community College

General Admission - 57